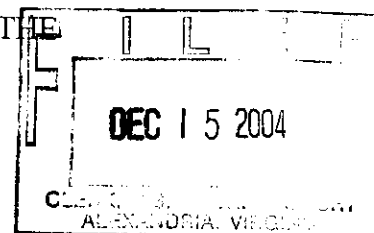


IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE
EASTERN DISTRICT OF VIRGINIA

Alexandria Division



UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

v.

AMERICA ONLINE, INC.,

Defendant.

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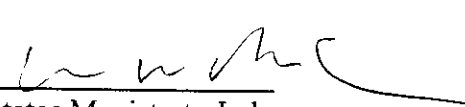
ORDER

Upon consideration of the parties' Joint Motion, the Deferred Prosecution Agreement between America Online, Inc. and the United States and the entire record in this matter, it is hereby:

ORDERED, that the Joint Motion of the Parties to Hold the Criminal Complaint in Abeyance for Twenty Five Months, is **GRANTED**; and it is hereby further

ORDERED, that the criminal complaint against America Online, Inc. shall be held in abeyance for twenty five months from the date of this Order.

Dated: December 15, 2004


United States Magistrate Judge